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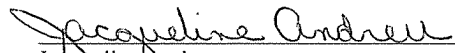
In re Application of: John G. Babish. et al.  
Application No.: 10/789,817  
Filing Date: February 27, 2004  
Docket Number: 068911-0074  
Title: SYNERGISTIC ANTI-INFLAMMATORY PHARMACEUTICAL  
COMPOSITIONS AND RELATED METHODS USING  
CURCUMINOIDS OR METHYLYXANTHINES  
Examiner: CARTER, Kendra D.  
Art Unit: 1617

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**PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)**

Applicants respectfully petition for an extension of time of three months up to and including June 23, 2009, to file a Response to the Final Office Action mailed on December 23, 2008. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the requisite extension fee of \$1,110.00 as required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(3) to Deposit Account Number 50-1133.

Respectfully submitted,

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